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SUBMISSION OF DEFICIENCY FEE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.28(c)

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant hereby corrects the entity status of Applicant as non small (large) entity. Original payment was mistakenly made for a small entity in this matter, rather than appropriately as a large entity. The difference between what should have been paid versus what was actually paid is submitted herewith. Applicant's representative had a good faith belief in status as a small entity, and it has just been discovered that such status as a small entity was established in error. Applicant hereby submits the deficiency based on the amount of the fee, for other than a small entity, at the time the deficiency is paid in full.

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An itemization of the apparent difference, and amounts properly payable (for non small (large) entity status) in view of what was originally paid (for small entity status), is itemized below.

ITEMIZATION OF DEFICIENCY PAYMENT

Small entity fees paid October 30, 2003

Utility Filing Fee:

\$385.00

Extra Claim Fees:

\$244.00

Total:

\$629.00

Fees that should have been paid for a non small entity (large entity):

Filing Fee:

\$300.00

Search Fee:

\$500.00

Examination Fee:

\$200.00

Excess Claim Fees:

\$1,200.00

- 8 additional claims x \$50.00

- 4 additional independent claims x \$200.00

Total Due (large entity):

\$2,200.00

SMALL ENTITY FEES PAID

Filing fees in the amount of \$629.00 were paid on October 30, 2003, based on mistaken good faith belief of small entity status. It has been determined that non small entity (large entity) status is appropriate for Applicant. The total filing fees that would have been payable if correctly based on non small entity (large entity) status equal \$2,200.00.

DEFICIENCY OWED

Based on the difference between the original fees paid and the non small entity (large entity) fees that correctly should have been paid, the deficiency is \$1,571.00. A check in the amount of \$1,571.00 is enclosed.

For your convenience, a copy of the original Fee Transmittal dated October 30, 2003, is

also enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is believed that Applicant has fully corrected the error in small entity status in good

faith which Applicant believes to be in compliance with §1.28 (c)(1) and (c)(2). If the Examiner

has any questions or concerns, he/she is invited to contact the below-listed attorney for Applicant

at (512) 477-3830.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments

of the fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-1350 in the name of H.

Dale Langley, Jr., P.C. We thank you in advance for processing this correction request as

outlined above.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 17, 2005

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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